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Two Irma Boys in Casualty List

Pte. A. Dalton Killed in Action and Pte. Allen A. Linnen Wounded in Recent Engagements with the Huns.

"Pte. A. Dalton, killed in action, on June 9th," was the terrible message that came to the Dalton family living north of Clark Manor yesterday, which meant that he had together with a lot of other brave Canadian lads laid down their lives for the cause of freedom and righteousness in recent engagements with the Huns.

Pte. Dalton was married a short time before leaving for France with an Alberta battalion and his wife is at present living in Edmonton. He was one of the early settlers of this district, highly respected, and well and favorably known by all. The message of his death at the front has cast a gloom over the entire community, and the sorrowing relatives have the sympathy of all as they bear their irreparable loss bravely.

Another message that brought home the uncertainty of war was the message received almost simultaneously with the one about Pte. Dalton, was that Pte. Allen A. Linnen, another well known Irma young man had been wounded, the extent of the wounds not being stated in the official telegram.

Pte. Linnen's parents, Jas. Linnen, live three miles east of town, and it is hoped by everyone that his wounds will not prove fatal. He is 19 years of age, in the bloom of youth, and no doubt he was in the thick of it when he fell wounded.

Farm Fire

Telephone and Autos Save Barn.

On Saturday morning the wind blew some sparks from a smudge into the straw round the cattle shed on Jas. Fenton's farm and set it ablaze. There were several colts and young cattle in the shed at the time, but with considerable trouble they were all taken out and saved. As soon as the fire was discovered, Mr. Fenton phoned to Irma for help and three autos filled with volunteers were soon on the way to the fire. When they arrived the corner of the barn had caught fire, however with plenty of help this was soon extinguished and the barn saved.

COMING EVENTS

Friday, June 22, Ice cream social at J. H. Elliott's

Meeting I.O.O.F every Tuesday.

Monday, July 2, meeting of the village council.

Friday, July 6th, meeting of the LOL No. 2066.

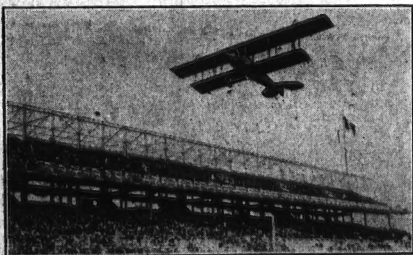
Thursday, July 12th, Orange celebration at Edgerton.

Monday, July 16, meeting Municipal Council.

Tuesday, July 31st, Irma fair.

Irma Times—A live paper in a live town at \$1.50 per year.

MISS KATHERINE STINSON, THE GIRL AVIATOR, WILL BE WITH US AGAIN AT THE EDMONTON EXHIBITION THIS YEAR



Miss Stinson has just completed a most successful "flying trip" to Japan and China, where she was tremendously popular; her daring exhibitions were most enthusiastically witnessed and she was made the recipient of many beautiful and costly gifts. This charming young lady conducts a School of Aviation in the United States, and has at the present time, many graduates in the aerial service of the Allies in France and Flanders. Miss Stinson made splendid flights in Edmonton last year, and has again been engaged to appear at the Edmonton Exhibition in 1917.

Local News

W. H. Madden spent the weekend in the capital city.

The building of A.A. Dickson's implement shed is proceeding apace.

Arthur Barker spent a few days in Edmonton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P.J. Hardy left on Saturday in their car on a visit to Bawlf.

Sundays rain was followed by another soaking day in the Irma district on Tuesday.

On Monday, J. O. Myers of the Northern Creameries paid a business visit to the Irma district then left for Jarow.

Jas. Fenton wishes to thank all those who helped him extinguish the fire on his farm last Saturday morning.

H.B. Armstrong is staying in Irma for a few days. He has sold his business in Edmonton and has moved his family to Brandon.

T. Hill and W.J. Milburn are the latest to invest in automobiles. The former having purchased a new Ford and the latter a Maxwell.

The auction sale of effects of the Rev. R.J. Merriam took place on Wednesday afternoon was well attended and prices good.

Henderson brothers have the building in hand of large barns for T. Coulman, Orbindale, and Cap. Larson, when finished these will be two of the best barns in the district.

James Fenton had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse on Sunday last. His son drove his sister Inez and Miss Ruth Brecon to Hawkins station and tied up his horse; a three year old colt. When he returned he found the horse had broken its neck, presumably having been frightened by the train.

The road work in the village is now completed. G.A. Tripp and his crew have certainly put in their time to good advantage and travellers are now able to enter the village from all sides without making a voyage of geographical discovery round sloughs and bluffs to find a way into the village.

On Sunday morning the long looked for rain made a visit to the Irma district, and its effect on the vegetation was marked by smiling nature and smiling farmers who gave it such a hearty welcome, that we hope it will not be long before it pays us another visit.

We would ask our local correspondents if possible to let us have their contributions in on Tuesday each week, and take this opportunity to remind our out side readers that we cannot print the news of their districts if it is not sent to us. We wish every district around Irma to receive the full value to be derived from our paper.

The other day an enterprising real estate man had a prospective buyer out looking for a ranch. When passing one of the numerous water holes on the road allowance the agent was asked why the farmers did not fill up the holes. The reply was that they wanted the water left on the road to water the horses in hot weather.

Dr. A.M. Firkins, dentist, will be at Irma from June 29th to 30th. Graduate of Northwestern University, Chicago. Demonstrator in Operative Dentistry at Northwestern University Dental School in 1910-1911. Edmonton offices: Dr. Lowther & Firkins, Room 1, Credit Foncier Building, phone 1985. Dr. Firkins will return to Irma regularly. Dr. Firkins will not stop at Jarow during summer as train service is good to Irma.

Zoldovara

Louie Hardy has just returned from Edmonton where has been spending a few days.

Barnie Devinnie is in Edmonton nursing a broken arm. We trust he is improving rapidly and will be with us again soon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Layton Barrs, a fine son.

Mrs. McCullah Burks has returned from a long visit in the United States.

Arthur Blakely was visiting in the Albert school house, twice a month with large audiences.

Rev. Reeves conducts services at the Albert school house, twice a month with large audiences.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McNroy have returned home from Unity, Sask. where they have been working through the spring work.

Messrs. Roy Hayes and Louie Hardy have purchased a threshing machine. We wish them much success.

R. E. Jones is fencing a school section, number 29, which he has leased.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Ralph on Friday, June 8th, twins, boy and girl. All are doing well.

Lillian and Stanley Barker have gone to Stony Plains. They are greatly missed, both by their teacher and the pupils.

The farmers of this district were made quite cheerful by the recent showers that broke the long dry weather season that had discouraged so many. Now they can look in to the future and see a fine crop of two dollar wheat.

Orbindale.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton and family of Wainwright visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. Coulman on Sunday.

Don't forget the Orbindale Picnic on Friday, June 22nd.

The welcome showers which fell upon the hundreds of acres of needy grain has certainly helped the situation.

A. Barker returned on Tuesday from his visit in Inga and Stony Plains. His visit was much longer than was expected but we don't need to wonder if we could only see her.

Mr. Coulman wishes to announce his next chopping day on Tuesday, June 26th.

It's time yet to plant, Rape and late roots. We have a few bulk seeds left which we will sell at less than cost rather than carry them over. —Irma Co-op Ltd.

LETTER FROM L.

CPL. J. MCCREADY

Somewhere in France.

May 22nd 1917

To the Editor Irma Times.

Dear Sir:— I have been receiving a copy of your paper every week and am very glad to receive the same, as it makes a fellow feel as if he was nearer home when he sees names of people he knows.

I have been in this French territory for nearly seven months now and have seen some very exciting times as I have visited the Huns trench a few times and have had only one scratch as yet but do not wish for any more as the best souvenir I can get is a full hide. We had some hard times at the time of the advance but we pulled out of it all O.K. William Stuart, Woody Clark, Allen Linnen, H. J. Barrs, R. Nash, A. Dalton and myself out of the 151st bunch are alright so far as I have seen them lately.

I noticed a letter from Gunner J. R. Love in a copy of your paper of April 20th, 1917. I am thinking that Gunner Love will change about mixing with the Infantry as he will soon find out if he hadn't the Infantry in front of the Artillery they would be out of luck because Fritz would soon give them a very smart time. The artillery boys here are always willing to take off their hats to the Infantry. They always say they have had times but nothing to what the Infantry has. Gunner Love will be able to send some pictures of the boat he crossed on as I have done so and it reached its destination alright.

Well, thanking all the people of Irma and district for kindness shown to me while in your midst, I hope to remain, ever at your service,

L. Cpl. J. F. McCready,
No. 624537.

There is a new German poet who invokes "Herr Gott and Hindenberg" for joint service. The greatest contrast imaginable human contentance is the contrast between that of Hindenberg, brutal and bull-necked and that of the man of Nazareth.—Manchester Guardian.

STRAYED—On the farm of Hy Kasten, SE 13-45-9, one bay gelding, 7 years old wt about 1200, black parts, spot on forehead. Brands **REER**.

Blame the Enemy.

Opponents of compulsory military service who denounce the Borden Government for proposing legislation in that behalf are directing their fire upon the wrong point. For compulsory military they must blame the enemy and not the Borden Government. The forces with which the enemy is carrying on this war against free people are so tremendous that in order to preserve the world's freedom and save themselves the nations arrayed against him are compelled to muster their whole fighting power. The enemy has not prevailed and will not prevail, but he has been strong enough to impose upon his adversaries a compulsion to fight with all their might. So it is to the enemy our anti-conscriptionists should carry their protest. He is the head and front of all the offending in this as in every other particular. It is to him our objectors to compulsory military service should carry their protest. He is the head and front of all the offending in this as in every other particular. It is to him our objectors to compulsory military service should address their remonstrances and their eruptions. The only effectual way for doing this is the military way. The anti-conscriptionists must argue it out with the enemy on the battlefields with weapons in their hands and quit their cheap and harmless gaseconding at mass meetings called to pass resolutions condemning the Government. Let them enlist and face German music, where as many better men of this Dominion are facing it. There seems to be no chance of these insensate volunteers to face the enemy in the trenches. They are no good. The French-Canadians who are serving valiantly in old France would scorn to acknowledge them as their blood. The French-Canadians at home who are being misled by these copperheads will come to despise them, as much as their brethren in Europe now despise them.

Jarrow

Rev. Bailey from B.C. has come to take charge of the Jarrow church in place of the Rev. Day who left on Wednesday for the Castor district.

A farmers picnic has been arranged for July 2nd. Plenty of sport will be provided and an auction sale will be held, the proceeds to be given to the Red Cross Fund, a heifer and several other things to be sold.

Name Great Peak "Mount Chamberlin"



The Geographic Board of Canada announces that it has decided to name a splendid peak in the Canadian Rockies "Mount Chamberlin" in honor of President E. J. Chamberlin, of the Grand Trunk System. The great mountain, in the neighborhood of the Yellowhead Pass was first thrown open to travellers by the building of the Grand Trunk Pacific's transcontinental line, which was completed under President Chamberlin's direction. This peak is at the southern end of a massive mountain range in the Grand Forks amphitheatre and is surpassed only by its own neighbor Mount Robson.

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Barbarities Committed by Germany Must Be Checked

A fine old clergyman is the Most Reverend Randall Thomas Davidson, born in 1848, and Archbishop of Canterbury for fourteen years. As a scholar he knew much about war without ever seeing a tented field or a trench at the front. His protest in the house of lords against the bombardment of Freuburg by British and German aviators, in which eleven persons were killed and twenty-seven injured, according to German accounts, is wholly undiminished. He does not believe in "reprisals."

Yet the answer of Lord Curzon is irrefutable. The sinking of hospital ships by German submarines in the nature of things cannot be punished by executing the criminals. It can only be brought home to Germany by reprisals, in themselves inhumanely announced as such to the whole civilized world.

It is with reluctance that Englishmen face this necessity. They regret the fate of non-combatants. But in some way, barbarities committed by Germany must be checked, and this is the only remedy known to the traditions of war, the only remedy that suggests itself to the keenest modern intelligence.—From the Brooklyn Eagle.

WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Mrs. Quinn's Experience Ought to Help You Over the Critical Period.

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Mrs. Margaret Quinn, 2329 Warren St., Lowell, Mass.

Other warning symptoms are a sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, drowsiness, impending faintness, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness, inquietude, and dizziness.

If you need special advice, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidentially), Lynn, Mass.

Angels Admiring Zeppelin

German Humorist Gives Dead Count a Front Window in Heaven

The Bavarian humorist Peter Simplicissimus features on its front page a picture of "Count Zeppelin in heaven in one of his own cruisers, which is seen resting on a cloud bank in the background, undergoing the inspection of a crowd of admiring angels. Count Zeppelin, attended by a committee of cherubs, is well welcomed by St. Peter, who makes him a laudatory address, informing him that he has been given one of the finest locations. A feature of the new residence, remarks St. Peter, is that you can see Germany from the front window."

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Value of Good Roads to the Farmer.
Poor roads are very expensive things for country communities. The farmer who thinks that improved highways are mainly for his benefit, who drives automobiles, should reflect on the results of a recent investigation by the department of agriculture, which found that the cost of hauling farm produce over ordinary country roads is twenty-three cents a ton, while whereas over hard-surfaced roads it is only thirteen cents.—Youth's Companion.

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An Historic Speech

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"The speech of General Smuts was one of the finest and most statesmanlike utterances the war has produced."

"If the British nation has not realized before fully, it assuredly will understand now, what a noble ommentary and strong pillar of support it possesses in the soldier statesman who represented the Union of South Africa in the Imperial war conference."

"If we interpret Gen. Smuts' speech aright we detect in it a note of friendly and earnest caution to those who think the time ripe for framing a new constitution of empire with a new imperial parliament, a new imperial treasury and new imperial taxes. The idea is noble, imposing and logical, but it is none the less full of peril and quickens the above all open to fatal objection that it does not seem to be described by the responsible spokesmen of the dominions. It may be taken as certain, therefore, that the special war conference which is to be called at the end of the war to consider the problem of empire, and reconstruction will not favor the idea of a united parliament of the empire. It will proceed on lines less sensational, but far more consonant with the British tradition of gradual evolution. Indeed, it has already begun, in the last few weeks, in the admission to the imperial cabinet of statesmen of the dominions and representatives of France."

—London Daily Telegraph.

Ask for Minard's and Take no Other

Sir Joseph Ward the minister of 5-nation New Zealand, in a recent speech to Australians in London, said that Australia and New Zealand were determined that the islands in the Pacific should never be restored to Germany. Sir Joseph said the fate of the German colonies and sea power were matters of vital importance to Australians. They had strong feelings concerning the restoration of the German colonies and did not want German bases at Australia's back door.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that we have at last found a cure for the most distressing and dangerous disease that science has been able to cure in the human system, and that is cancer. It has been greatly influenced by constitutional weakness, and that is cancer. It has been greatly influenced by constitutional weakness, and that is cancer. It has been greatly influenced by constitutional weakness, and that is cancer.

Mrs. Newlwyed—"Oh, Jack! I wish you were a man worth while. I like a man who can go out and make a hundred a week, and pays all his bills besides!"

Minard's Liniment Lumberman's Friend.

"No Powder for a Pig, of an Engineer."
The torpedoed of a Cunard steamer, and the terrible sufferings of the sole survivor, Douglas V. Duff, fourth officer, is issued by the British and Foreign Sailors' Society, which the King and Queen, and Queen Alexandra are patrons, and is one of the most harrowing of the kind. It reveals the marvellous humanity as developed in the submarine officer. After the steamer had been sunk, the officer went on to the bottom of the boat's bottom, and thereon got myself seated, and managed to get hold of the liberated hand of a sailor, and was able to turn back. What a feeling of relief! I was so glad to see that my ship was gone.

The terrible reality was that my shipmates were shouting—shouting at me, and I was unable to climb for the last time, and I was struck with the very little time that elapsed until no human voice could be heard. The painful silence only indicated that so many precious lives had been sacrificed.

A few of them, however, seeing me, swam away to the upturned boat, five of whom managed to clamber by my side, whilst two others, one with a shattered arm, and the other with a blown-off leg, were dragged up to lie on the ship's bottom. Three of the men, seeing a steamer near at hand, fell back into the sea, and I hope that they would be able to swim to her. The hope was vain. Unfortunately these brave men perished.

Our damaged boat in a choppy sea had now rolled so heavily that the two injured sailors were washed off, and I made me feel sick to know that I was powerless to save them.

By this time we were nearly frozen to death with cold. I was in a state of semi-consciousness, and I must have been in this state for about three hours, when I was roused by a harsh voice which addressed me in good English "What ship was that?" "Where was she from?" "Where were you going?" "What was her cargo?" I was asked if I was an Englishman, and I replied "Yes." "Then we are going to shoot you," was the reply. My reply was "I am too cold to mind whether you do so or not."

His reply is worthy of a Hun—"I would not waste powder on a pig of an Englishman. Down then, you swine, drown!" and his ship disappeared from view.

After the sinking of the ship, I was longer on his raft was released by a French lugger.

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On European Battlefields

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Some question may be raised by Americans who have not yet come to realize the full gravity of the war as to whether the government should send abroad any men who are not volunteers for foreign service. The answer to that may be seen in the devastated fields and ruined cities of France, Belgium, Poland, Serbia and Roumania. Wherever the German armies have gone they have left behind them a trail of horror such as the world has never seen since the power of the Turks and the Tartars declined. Remembering what ruin German invasion brings, the first thought of every American in his sober senses must be that German invasion must be prevented from ever reaching this country. The place to defend the United States from invasion is not within the United States. Europe. We cannot, therefore, admit a right of any citizen soldier to be kept at home unless he volunteers to go abroad. To do so would be to leave the defense of the country to the equal obligation of all citizens to defend the country.—Buffalo Express.

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Zouaves of France

Although the Zouaves, who covered themselves with glory in the Saloniki campaign, have been a component part of the French army for less than ninety years, they have traditions which older regiments may envy. In the Algerian wars, the Zouaves recruited them from some fierce Arab tribes known by the many-walled city of Algiers. These fierce warriors under Lamoriciere and Cavaignac soon attracted enthusiastic young Frenchmen to their ranks. They fought with distinction in the Crimea and the regiment became a close corporation for their compatriots, all of African birth being released admission.

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"She takes walks, rides bicycles, climbs, swims, dances, skates, rows and plays all sports. She can ride a horse and drive a motor car. She is proficient in many branches of practical learning. She can do anything and everything about the house. She has some knowledge about the law, knows how to invest money, can use a typewriter. She reads every day a serious book, as well as a newspaper and a novel. She speaks three languages fluently, her own and two foreign books. She is fond of gardening and has learned several crafts—wood carving, metal work, L-obinding and embroidery."

PERFECT HEALTH DUE TO THE BLOOD

No Girl or Woman Need be Constantly Ailing and Unhappy

Nature intended every girl and every woman to be happy, attractive, and vigorous. Yet too many of them find their lives saddened by suffering—nearly always because their blood is to blame. All those unhappy girls and women who are pale, thin, nervous, and who have weak, dull skins and sunken, watery eyes, are in this condition because they have not enough blood, and are in need of creating new blood, and in the charm of health. They suffer from depressing weariness, from chronic headaches, from lines form under their eyes, their heart palpitates violently after the slightest exertion, and they are often nervous, and are in need of creating new blood, and in the charm of health. They suffer from depressing weariness, from chronic headaches, from lines form under their eyes, their heart palpitates violently after the slightest exertion, and they are often nervous, and are in need of creating new blood, and in the charm of health.

The Backyard Gardener

It is the Benefit One Gets From the Work and Not the Yield That Pays

"That backyard gardener who says he has put forty dollars' worth of work into his patch and taken out ten dollars' worth of produce, is lost. He is betrayed by applying conventional business thought to an affair that should be as far from business as a rabbit's track is from making a real estate deal."

The least valuable thing that the amateur gardener gets out of his plot is vegetables. Infinitely more important is the exercise, the interest in growing things, the association with his neighbors, the growing of fungus diseases and new forms of worry. The man who leaves a problem downtown and tackles another in the arts to which they had devoted goes through a training in proportion. The man who flees from the irritation of competitors and tackles the cultivation of his own plot, his neighbors' hens learn a fact of value to all men, that few things are required without a struggle. It is the sweat of the brow that "breads" is true, it is equally true that only through work and watchfulness you can get the most out of your garden patch bringing forth its increase.

Gardening is the thing, not the yield; clean, honest toil in the sweet sweat of the brow that "breads" is true, it is equally true that only through work and watchfulness you can get the most out of your garden patch bringing forth its increase.

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WHY Does Your Head Ache?

Headaches, sick or other kinds, don't happen to people whose livers are busy and whose bowels are as regular as a clock.

Thousands of folks who used to have headaches say this is the way they removed the cause:

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Colorless faces often show the absence of iron in the blood.
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The German Miscalculation

A. J. Balfour in His Address to the U. S. Senate

Whether we live on the other side of the Atlantic or on this side of the Atlantic, the English-speaking people have never organized ourselves for military purposes; we have never been military states, and when the war broke out, undoubtedly, the German looked around the world, estimated the value from their point of view of the nations with whom they might be concerned, and profoundly contemptuous of our views of civilization, whether they be British, or whether they be American views, they decided that neither British nor American counted in the struggle by which they hoped to obtain the domination of the world.

They found us unprepared; they found us unarmy; and because we were unprepared and because we were unarmy, they jumped rashly to the conclusion, firstly, that we were afraid to fight, and secondly, that if we fought we should be wholly negligible quantities. I think they are beginning possibly to find out their mistake.

"How, ladies and gentlemen, did that mistake ever arise? It arose from the incapacity of the German ruling class—and it is only of the German ruling class that I speak today—to estimate value except in terms of drilled men and military preparations. They saw that England and America were prosperous, were unwarlike, were immersed in the day to day to pursue those high ideals and to make those great sacrifices, we should be so utterly incompetent in the arts to which they had devoted so much of their attention, that our interference in the war would be a thing which they could leave wholly on one side."

"On that miscalculation have been wrecked, and will be wrecked all their hopes. It was their fatal blunder—a blunder from which they will never recover, but a blunder which has saved civilization."

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A rather striking illustration that we live a long distance from the seat of war is afforded by a Proclamation made in the name of His Majesty the King, which lately appeared in "The Times." After stating that it is essential to abstain from unnecessary consumption of grain if the war is to be shortened and won, the proclamation proceeds to exhort and charge all heads of households to reduce the consumption of bread by at least one-fourth of the quantity consumed in ordinary times; to abstain from the use of flour in pastry and to restrict or whenever possible to abandon the use of flour in all other articles than bread.

The Proclamation concludes by calling on the heads of families to sign a pledge, a form of which is appended thereto, in which they agree to see that the sentiments of the proclamation are complied with and carried out in their respective households.

Living as we do at the source of supplies, with plenty of grain and its products at hand, we are apt to forget that there is an obligation on us to conserve, as well as to produce, in order that the Empire may be a unit in prosecuting the war to a successful conclusion.

Our Knightly Pests.

While recognizing that war time is the spring time for titles, ranging from that of the Honorary-Colonel to the Baron, Canadians generally are getting just a little bit tired of the ever increasing semi-annual crop. We get one batch at the New Year, and then along with the dandelions comes another. The British have made a false estimate of the Canadian public. They apparently wish to please us with these baubles, but outside the recipients themselves and their immediate families no one is pleased that I ever heard of. The people of this country have little in common with titles, and particularly hereditary honors.

This is not to say that the present batch of Knights, etc., are any worse or any better than any former lot. It is merely a protest against the accepted order of things. I cannot imagine a man adding anything to his range of thought or breadth of vision by becoming a Baron, a Baronet, or a Knight, but on the other hand, I can quite readily imagine the inculcation of false ideals, petty social ambitions, and the destruction of the roots of real democracy by the affixing of this "guinea stamp." We say we are fighting for democracy and we give the lie to the statement by inoculating ourselves with the germ of plutocracy. As an English writer, commenting on this subject, has well said: "We cannot have the root of democracy in our souls if the tree flowers into coronets and gew-gaws. France has the real jewel of democracy and we have only the paste. Do not think this is only a small matter touching the surface of our national character. It is a poison in the blood that infects us with the deadly sins of servility and snobbery. And already it has permeated the free life of the Colonies."

"All In Together."

It seems to be a quite prevalent notion that conscription is a simple and easy way of getting the reinforcements needed for the army, and that that is all there to it. That idea may be profitably dismissed at once, for it is due for enlightenment. Conscription does offer a simple way of getting recruits, and the best recruits that can be got, and for getting them with the least possible loss of time. But it involves a good deal more than that. It is a complete reversal of the national war policy; the suspension of the principle of individual liberty, and the adoption of the principle of compulsory service. And this principle to be applied only to the hundred thousand men needed in the trenches? Are the rest of us to be left free to do as we please, or to do nothing as we please? If there should be compulsory recruiting for the army, why not for the carrying on of war work, and the production of food supplies—which the Director of National Service tells us are quite as important in their places as the holding of the line in France? Is the industrial slacker to be left to loaf while the lives of better men are conscripted? Let us have compulsory service as it seems necessary, but for the sake of decent consistency, as well as the sake of the country and the cause with which it stands or falls, let it be compulsion all round and not compulsion only for the few and exemption for the many.—Bulletin.

Soldiers' Voting in Alberta.

Not a big thing in itself, but as indicating the feeling of men in uniform, the votes cast by Alberta soldiers in their separate balloting in the Alberta provincial election had an interesting trend. Soldiers not in their respective ridings voted in eleven military polls, and in each of the seven leading urban constituencies their preference was for the Opposition candidates. Normally, Alberta is Liberal, and the Sifton Government was returned by about its former majority. The solidity of the soldiers vote is worth particular attention.

Unquestionably Sir Robert Borden's pronouncement for conscription has won to his support the men in uniform. This support extended in Alberta, to candidates of the same party. Though an organized attempt is made to excuse the Sifton Government's pandering to the "foreign" vote, the fact seems established that the astute politicians composing it were aware of how the soldier vote would go, and thus preferred catering to the aliens. If the 35,000 Alberta soldiers had been given the privilege of casting their votes in their home constituencies, instead of en bloc for two soldier representatives, would they have voted as did the men in uniform at home? There is every reason to think so. If that had happened, the Sifton Government would have been decisively defeated. The bringing on of the election at present, while the regular Legislative term was not near its end, and the Opposition had offered to an extension to the end of the war, is also explained by the apparent solidity of the soldier vote for the Conservative candidates. To get a renewed lease of office was the height of the Sifton ambition.

The coming home of the men is going to have a big influence on the future of such Governments as the Sifton and Martin organizations. The influence of the men who have fought so determinedly for their country and the Empire will be thrown unreservedly against the caterers to disloyal alien elements. There will be a staunch body of loyalist voters who will assert strong British-Canadianism and woe to politicians whose opportunist tactics lead them to angle in the waters of alien support.

Rev. W. Blackshaw in the Christian Commonwealth:

"Civilization does not consist of material things, however beautiful. It consists of minds and memories. It consists of faith and love. These cannot fail, new and great memories are enriching our experience. We have a story to tell our children and the nations of the world. New ideas are being born, new resolves taking shape in the minds and will of men. There is a promise of a morning following this evening through which we are passing. May we not speak of it as a new creative day of redemption. In a new and deeper sense Christ will be our light when the relations between states will be determined—under his guidance and with his inspirations, and when the cross will be the symbol not merely of the church, but of the office, the shop, the manufactory, and the farm. Life must be interpreted by its highest facts. These are the key to the whole."

As Trinidad, British West Indies, depends for its butter supply chiefly upon foreign sources, the imports mostly coming in this from Denmark, and as the shipping facilities are limited and freight rates high, there has been a tendency on the part of local housewives to make their own butter from cocoa nuts, which grow abundantly on the island. Such butter can be made readily in every home. A considerable saving can thus be effected over imported dairy butter, and the quality is better than much of it. This butter unless kept too long, is said to be as rich as the best creamery butter, and would be hard to distinguish from dairy butter, except that it has a slight coconut flavour, which is agreeable to most tastes.

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district are O.B. Nordstrom, Geo.
Hoskins and C. J. Boyce, of Kin-
sella.

A dance was held in Hillikers
hall Saturday evening to celebrate
the victory over Bruce.

Work on the farmers telephone
line commenced Monday. Wm.
Main is foreman.

Providence let a million dollar
rain fall last Sunday. It brightened
everything up and now a bumper
crop is practically assured.

W.S. Mooney, of Edmonton,
was a business visitor in town last
Friday. Mr. Mooney is a brother
of Mrs. Nellie McClung, and a
brother-in-law of S.H. Somersall.

Lawrence Gossman is back at
the former position in the creamery
after spending the spring putting
in a crop on his farm. Mr. Murphy,
the butter maker, has gone west.

Archie Thompson injured him-
self while lifting a tub of water at
the butcher shop last week and was
laid up for a couple of days. He is
better now and on the job again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Murray and
son Melvin left for Moore's Mills,
New Brunswick, last Wednesday
for a month's holidays with rela-
tives and friends.

The tennis courts were rolled and
fixed up considerably this week.
Tennis is becoming a favorite pas-
time and two tournaments have re-
cently been played.

Collier Bros. Ford dealers have
another car of Fords at the station
to unload. This makes 46 cars that
they have brought in since taking
over the agency about a year ago.

Mrs. A. Buie and two children
arrived from Russell, Man., Mon-
day evening to spend the summer
months with Mr. and Mrs. Somers-
all, her parents.

Gerald Britton, son of Mr. and
Mrs. I. Britton, was at home over
Sunday. Gerald has been in the
soldiers' convalescent hospital at
Calgary the past month undergoing
treatment for wounds received at
the front.

Mrs. S.H. Somersall and little
Gwynne returned last Friday from
a short stay in Edmonton with her
daughter Mrs. (Dr.) Braithwaite
Dr. and Mrs. Braithwaite have gone
East to Montreal and New York to
attend the annual convention of
the Canadian and American Medi-
cal Associations.

Rev. T. F. Lund, the new pastor
of the Viking Methodist church, is
to assume his duties next Sunday
taking Kinsella at 11, Quinte at
3 and Viking at 7.30. These points
will henceforth constitute the Vik-
ing circuit, while the points north
of town have been formed into a
separate field and will have a min-
ister of their own when one can be
secured.

A fire alarm was turned in last
Friday afternoon and the chemical
engines were rushed to the M. Leary
residence where an oil stove had
become overheated. The prompt ac-
tion of Fred Ross who ran over to
the house and threw the stove out
saved the building from severe
damage. The engines were not need-
ed and were stopped before reach-
ing the residence.

A. G. Barrow and two sons, of
Bridgeport, Conn., arrived in town
Monday evening. Mr. Barrow owns
a half section of land north of town
and lived on the same in the spring
of 1914 but on account of business
connections in the east had to re-
turn. He disposed of the business
this spring. Mr. Barrow and two
sons toured the States as far as the
Canadian boundary at Emerson,
Man., where they left the car on
account of bad roads and travelled
G.T.P. the rest of the way.

They were in New York when
Marshall Joffe visited the city. One
of the boys who is an engineer had
the pleasure of inspecting the Ger-
man submarine "Deutschland"
when it hove to at New London,
Conn., on its last trip.

Confederation Jubilee July 1st—

1867-1917—Alberta Red

Cross Day.

The Alberta Red Cross Society
has requested that July 2nd next,
on which date Dominion Day cele-
brations will be held, be observed
as Red Cross Day throughout the
province. It is requested that all
monies raised on that day, either
through ordinary holiday celebra-
tions or through special efforts on
the part of various societies and
districts, should be turned over for
the use of the Red Cross. All sec-
tions of the community are urged
to co-operate in a great Red Cross
effort.

It is desired by the Society that
the interest and sympathy of every
man, woman and child should be
united on behalf of the Red Cross.

Thousands of dollars are needed
to successfully carry on the work;
it is therefore suggested that July
2nd, Jubilee Confederation Day, be
a day devoted to Red Cross giving—
such a day as shall create a noble
precedent for generosity and remain
forever a proud tradition in the
history of the province.

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ing and Cadet Instructors**

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this year courses for those who wish
to qualify for Physical Training
Certificates Grade B, the Physical
Training Instructors Certificate and
for those who wish to qualify as Ca-
det Instructors provided a sufficient
number of candidates enrol for the
courses.

The privilege of attending is open
to teachers, school principals and
inspectors from Manitoba, Saskatch-
ewan, Alberta and British Colum-
bia. Those attending from within
the Province of Alberta will receive
the transportation privileges open
to all teachers enrolled at the Sum-
mer School. Those attending from
points outside of the Province of
Alberta will be able to secure return
transportation for the price of one-
way fare. All teachers attending
should when purchasing their tick-
ets for Edmonton secure a stand-
ard certificate or receipt. This,
when duly certified to by the pro-
per officials, will be good for a re-
turn ticket without additional
charge.

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vided in the University Residences
at very reasonable rates—\$25 for
the session if two share a room be-
tween them, and \$30. for those de-
siring a room to themselves. For
those not wishing to "live in," am-
ple accommodation may be obtained
in the City.

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Certificate Grade B, the Physical
Instructor's and the Cadet Instruc-
tor's Certificate will be issued by
the Department of Militia for those
who satisfy its requirements.

The plans of the Department of
Education involve the completion
of two summers' work for those
who desire to qualify for the Special
Certificate in Physical Training to
be issued by the Department of
Education. The first summer's work
will include (1) Physical Training
Grade B, (2) Folk Dancing, (3)
First Aid, (4) Personal Hygiene
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mer's work will include either the
Physical Training Instructor's
Course or the course of the Cadet
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Applications for admission to the
courses must be in at the office of
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toba's 251,527 square miles. Nebras-
ka's population in 1905 was 1,066,300.
The population of Manitoba is now
under 500,000.

Omaha, the principal city of Nebras-
ka, with a population to-day of about
163,000 last year, manufactured goods
to the value of \$67,862,000, an increase
of \$5,000,000 over the previous year.
In the last four years this city has
gained 11.5 per cent. in the volume
of manufactured products. The
amount of capital invested in manu-
facturing in Omaha is now \$51,864,000.
Wages paid to workers have increased
20 per cent. in four years, and over
\$19,000,000 worth of raw materials
were used by Omaha factories during
1914. The six other cities in this
state show what manufacturing has
done. Lincoln has 49,000 population,
Grand Island 13,000, Hastings 10,000,
Beatrice 19,500 and Fremont 10,000.
The figures given are on a very con-
servative estimate by the United
States Bureau of Census at Washing-
ton.

Industries vs. Imports

It seems evident that Nebraska has
developed her industries instead of
developing her imports. Here cities
have passed the "warehouse" stage.
Barely self-interest would suggest to
the Western Canadian that he buy
the products of his own country, or
goods made in the West for Western
needs, if he can buy them of equal
quality at equal price with anything
else the market affords. These are
staunch, self-reliant times, and it is
surely a better and broader Canadian-
ism to face our problems of national
development engaging in a common
task and standing together. If we are
to develop we must support our home
industries, we must show a spirit of
unity and good will to our country.
If we give the foreign manufacturer
and foreign worker an equal oppor-
tunity with the Canadian manufacturer
and Canadian worker, it is evident
that the foreigner gets the best of
the deal because the Canadian pro-
ducer is accorded no similar favor
in the foreign market such as are
granted foreign goods in the Cana-
dian market.

Shall we have manufacturing cen-
tres or merely distributing centres?
Shall we steadily reduce our popula-
tion by driving the worker and his
family to where factories are a part
of the economic system? Shall we re-
duce the home market to the mini-
mum and kill a close and ready de-
mand for the product of our farms?
These things are a result of import-
ing goods instead of making them, of
buying by mail instead of buying at
home, of dragging down instead of
developing our Western cities, towns
and villages. The development of
manufacturing, the purchasing of
Canadian-made goods, and the pat-
ronizing of the home-town store are a
vital element in the welfare and pro-
gress of both city and rural com-
munity. Let us learn a lesson from
Nebraska!

Down to Realities

Canadians, and Western Canadians
in particular, must take the Nebraska
lesson to heart. The war has brought
us all down to realities. If we are to
be assured of a normal legitimate
growth in Western Canada in the
years to follow the war all of us will
have to see to it that we do our share
to stimulate this growth. We must
give thought to where the goods we
purchase come from; whether Cana-
dian workmen are benefitting by our
purchases as much as they should,
and whether the policy we are sup-
porting is one calculated to sustain
on a reasonable basis the farming and
manufacturing industries, which, in
co-operation, are essential to national
success.

Schiller's Neutrality

The following story which is going
the rounds of the Continental papers,
including even those of Austria, must
make the Germans gnash their teeth.
A German and a Dane met recently
in Schiller's house in Weimar. As
they stood gazing reverently on the
scene the German, swelling with pride,
remarked to his fellow-countryman:

"So this is where our national poet,
Schiller, lived."

"Pardon me," said the other; "not
national, but international."

"How so?" asked the German, with
surprise.

"Why, consider his works," the
Dane replied. "He wrote 'Mary
Stuart' for the English, 'The Maid of
Orleans' for the French, 'Emmett' for
the Dutch, 'William Tell' for the
Swiss."

"And what did he write for the Ger-
mans, pray?" broke in the other. Pat
came the Dane's answer:

"For the Germans he wrote 'The
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Prologue

CHAPTER I. The Accident

The autumn night was stormy and wild; a terrible hurricane blew over the downs; it was night of storm and tempest. Above the great stretches of downland, scurrying masses of clouds raced across the sky; the moon, struggling behind now and again through the clouds, poured a thin white radiance upon the earth below. Under the racing clouds and the fitful radiance of moonlight, the downs looked very desolate—wide reaches of close-cropped grass that seemed to stretch to infinity, rang after range of swelling uplands, their bare outlines only occasionally varied by clumps of pine trees that swayed and creaked in the wild blast of October.

On that stormy night the long lanes that led from the sheltered valleys to the down top were very lonely. No one abroad who could possibly be within sheltering walls, and even the shepherds calling to their flock worked led them on to the uplands had long since gone home to the scattered cottages which lay under the shelter of the great hillsides.

The doctor from Lonsbury, Guy Thornton, as he drove slowly up one of these long lanes, drew his coat collar closely up to his chin and his cap further down over his ears, before flicking his mare gently with the whip.

"Come along, old lady," he said in his pleasant voice which never failed to appeal to both man and beast. "We want to get home before midnight. Put your best foot forward; the downs are not pleasure grounds tonight, and I don't like them any more than you."

Sheila pricked up her ears. It almost seemed as though she understood her master's words, and during the next few moments she raced up the lane much as the clouds were racing overhead. The wind tore over the uplands with whirling eddies and whalloos, as Thornton's doctor left the shelter of the deep hedges and emerged upon a more open stretch of road, a wild storm came snatched the cap from his head, and made his slightly-built cart sway unsteadily.

"What a night! What a night," he muttered, his eyes looking from the line of downs to the ragged clouds overhead. "And what a place! A desolate place for a home," he added as his glance fell upon a lighted window in a roll of the downs above him.

"Who can have chosen such a place. And why?"

The road he was now traversing was unknown ground to the doctor. True, he lived only a few miles away in the town of Lonsbury, where he had one of the largest of his patients in the neighborhood, but hitherto his work had never taken him along the lanes he was traversing tonight, and he had not before penetrated into this lonely district amongst the downs.

He looked with some curiosity at the house of which he had just caught sight, a house set well back from the dark hillside, in one of the most deserted parts of the downs. The moon, at that moment shining through a torn fringe of clouds, shone full upon it, and it showed a white stone building, in which only one window was lighted; but this window was a very large one, filling almost the whole side of the house, which, excepting for that stream of light, appeared to be in total darkness.

"A light set on a hill," Thornton said to himself, his eyes still watching the stream of light from the great window. "It's a queer place to have chosen for a house, remote as it is from everything but the railway cutting."

He turned as he spoke, and glanced downwards on his left, where in the moonlight the railway lines gleamed whitely for a moment, and then were hidden again as the clouds once more raced across the moon. At the same instant a sharp patter of rain began to fall, and Thornton bent his head as the raindrops stung his face and the tearing wind flung itself upon him with a renewed shriek of fury.

"By Jove! I wish Mr. Marston, whoever he may be, hadn't sent for me tonight," Thornton thought, whilst he sat there grinning and grumped the reins with numb fingers. "One wouldn't want a dog to be out in such weather! Good Heavens! What was that?"

His thoughts ended in the abrupt question, as a sudden sound struck upon his ears, a sound so startling so prodigious that he started to the ground, the gentlest of mares, stopped short with a jerk that nearly flung her master out of the cart, then stood shivering and whimpering in a pitifully terrified condition.

But her master was scarcely less startled and horrified than his faithful beast. The sudden, ghastly crash which had even drowned the noise of the howling wind, that terrific rush of escaping steam, those cries of fear and agony that all at once ceased on the evening air, could only mean one thing, and, fastening the reins to the seat, Thornton sprang to the ground and having spoken a word of comfort to Sheila hurried to the edge of the railway cutting.

Though he wasted no time in trying

ing to master the details of what he saw, the scene that met his eyes was stamped on his brain to his dying day. A train, which a few seconds earlier must have emerged from the black mouth of the tunnel yawning behind it, lay wrecked across the lines. The engine was half way up the bank, steam escaping from its huge clouds, with a rushing sound which added to the horror of the scene. Carriages were piled one upon another, or hung overturned on bank or rails, and cries, screams, and groans mingled with the howling wind and driving rain.

At headlong speed Thornton sped down the steep bank, intent only on rendering such help as he could to those who cried aloud in mortal agony or in deadly terror. All in a moment that lonely spot on the downs had sprung into a scene of animation, a hideous scene in which pain and death were holding high revels; and as he ran Guy found himself wondering whether any other living soul but himself was within earshot of his master, or whether there was anyone but he who could come to help those in the wrecked train.

A vision swept into his mind of a wreath of light that lay on the hillside. He remembered the big window from which light had streamed out into the darkness, some one hundred yards higher than the light-house might afford much needed shelter. So his thoughts ran, and then for a moment he forgot the actual difficulties of the moment. He could think of nothing but the pitiful spectacle of human misery, and he turned every side for succor. His strong hands helped men and women to struggle out of the overturned carriages; his few cheering words gave the dazed guard power to pull himself together and consider whence assistance could be procured; he set one lunatic driver and fireman, miraculously saved from serious hurt, to work to come to his aid in rescuing the passengers.

"Whirlwind station is just the other side of the tunnel," the guard said, hoarsely. "I can run back, but I'll be best. There is a bit of a village there, and we can soon get folks to come and help. But few cheering words gave the dazed guard power to pull himself together and consider whence assistance could be procured; he set one lunatic driver and fireman, miraculously saved from serious hurt, to work to come to his aid in rescuing the passengers."

"Go straight away," Thornton said, for which he felt he needed many pairs of hands. But, mercifully, the train had not yet started, and a few people were travelling on that stormy night, and of those few the greater number appeared to be suffering only from colds and bruises and from nervous shock.

The greater number, yes—but there were cases that general rule. Three dead bodies already lay by the railway track, and Thornton's heart contracted as he knelt on the ground, his hands held out in prayer, whose white still face looked like death itself. It was a woman who lay there; she had been taken from the last of the overturned carriages; Thornton had with difficulty extricated her from between two great slabs of wood.

Even in that moment of stress and agitation Thornton's observant eyes saw how lovely was the face of the injured woman, how sweet, how serene, yet how infinitely sad; and whilst he took such means as were possible to revive her, he speculated to who and what she might be. Her clothes were of the deepest black, with the collars and cuffs that denote a widow's dress, and her bare left hand was a thick wedding ring; but it was the haunting sadness of the unconscious face that brought a lump to the doctor's throat, a mist into his eyes.

(To Be Continued.)

The Man With the Plough

French Farmers Working Close to Enemy Lines

"There was one figure in this landscape of war who made some officers about me laugh," says Mr. Philip Gibbs. "He was a French ploughman from upland France, a man of grey hair, a white beard, and a white shirt. Zola saw him in 1870, and I have seen him on the edge of other battlefields, and here he was again, driving a pair of sturdy horses and his plough across the sloping field not a furlong away from a village where German shells were raising rising clouds of black smoke. He gave praise to the Lord on Easter morning and prepared the harvest which shall be gathered after the war."

Mr. W. Beach of Lonsbury, another war correspondent, writes: "I watched a single French farmer, who even in this hour was leading his grey horse to plough a fallow well in front of our heavy guns and in sight of the enemy. The headland of his furrow was a barbed-wire barrier."

The Italians are credited with having invented a method of making bread, direct with wheat without grinding it. After being well washed the wheat is soaked in warm water for three days, by which time it becomes quite soft. The grain can then be kneaded in the ordinary way, made into loaves, and baked after being dried in the sun. Bread made in this way has a much higher food value than the ordinary article, as even the husk has useful dietetic qualities.

He—Didn't I hear that you expect to be a veterinarian?

She—Why, no—he hasn't even enlisted yet.

"I've often wondered why my wife accepted me."

"Didn't you tell me once that she had simple tastes?"

The Vastness of Russia

Russian Empire Embraces One-Sixth of the Land Surface

To the average man, Russia stands out in the far horizon of consciousness, as Canada did to Kipling—"a lady of the snows"—and, in addition, a nation of beards and blouses and knouts and Siberian prisons. When we think of its government, we vision a medieval despotism, when we think of its literature, we conjure up a dream picture of snow-clad mountains and vast, lonely steppes; when we think of its history, we think of Tolstoy, with his fingers in the girdle of his blouse, and the chances are we have him mentally categorized as a "crank." And this ignorance pervades even European circles.

"If we take even an educated European," a well-known Russian writer once said, "he is almost invariably confined to extremely limited impressions acquired by chance."

It is time to rub up a little on Russia—Russia sufficiently to put to gloss upon our ignorance, because Russia is going to be an agricultural and commercial factor to be reckoned with after this war.

To begin with, then, Russia, in the area of lands that own its dominion, is the largest nation in the world; its empire embraces one-sixth of the land surface of the earth. When the present war began it was an area of 8,643,890 square miles, being nearly three times as large as the United States, exclusive of Alaska. It includes more than one-half of Europe and the whole of northern Asia. From east to west it extends more than 5,400 miles, while its greatest width from the Bora sea to the Far north boundary, is 2,400 miles. Its coast line is about 31,000 miles, and its land frontier is 23,000 miles. It touches the Arctic ocean on the north and the Pacific on the east, the Baltic sea on its northwest frontier and the Black and Caspian seas on the south and southwest. Russia borders its western centre, Roumania and Austria-Hungary on the southwest and Norway and Sweden on the north. In its topographical features Russia presents a striking contrast to all the other countries of Europe—it is a vast plain, with a general level of from 300 to 600 feet above the sea, stretching across in endless monotony from boundary to boundary of the great empire, with moderate elevations in its central territory. The highest altitudes are in the west, along the foothills of the Carpathians, the hills of central Russia and the heights of the Volga. The Ural mountains break the monotony of the plains on the edge of Asia.

This great plain is well watered with a system of lakes and rivers, which have their sources in the land elevations and flow away in all directions, emptying into the Baltic, the Arctic ocean, the Black sea, the Caspian and the Caspian. The Volga, which drains the basin of the Caspian sea, is the largest river in Europe and is navigable for eleven hundred miles. The Dnieper, Russia's second largest river, drains a territory as large as France and empties into the Black sea. The Don, the third largest river, flows into the sea of Azov, and is one of the great waterways for the transport of grain. The great rivers of Western Russia and the Niemen are tributaries of the Baltic and the Petchora, the Northern Dvina and the Angara are great streams of the Northern Arctic basin.

Naturally, Russia presents a diversity of climate, ranging from the long cold winters of the Arctic regions to a temperature in its southern territory similar to the northern latitudes of Italy. Petrograd has an average winter of about 15 degrees Fahrenheit and in summer of about 64 degrees. Odessa, in the south, has a temperature similar to that of the New England states. In the greater part of Russia, however, the winters are usually long and severe and the summers like those of Canada, short and sultry.

An Inexperienced Premier

It is doubtful whether any public man ever took office in Canada with so little practical experience of parliamentary life as the prospective premier of New Brunswick, Mr. E. Foster of St. John. There have been numerous instances of men advancing very rapidly to cabinet rank, but few, if any, men stepping at once from private life into a premier's office. Mr. Foster has never sat in a legislature; he has never been even an alderman. His sole experience in the nature of public service has been as a member of the council of the St. John Board of Trade, a date of his birth was April 9, 1874, so that he is now in his forty-third year, making him next to Premier Martin of Saskatchewan, the youngest of the provincial premiers.

A Wife's Revenge

"I am sorry to be critical, my dear," said Mr. Lambkin, "but this pudding is not the kind that mother used to make—not by a long shot."

"It's too bad, Henry," replied Mrs. Lambkin amiably. "I don't know what to do about it. Perhaps you'd better write to her and tell her. She sent it over this afternoon."

"There's a man planting potatoes," said Farmer Corntossel, who he ought to be playing golf."

"Yes, I do, but if he goes ahead and play golf he wouldn't be spilling good potatoes that somebody could use."

The Dangers in The Russian Nature

More Liable to Divisions Than Any Other European Nation

All who have come in touch with Russian politics know the dangers of the Russian nature—its belief in words, its casual way, its formlessness and want of method, its godlike indifference to time and space. But in the practice of politics its greatest danger is division. Next to the Poles I suppose the Russians are more liable to splits and divisions than any other Europeans, and the diversity of their religious sects is proof of it. In 1905, as now, the revolution demanded a constituent assembly, and the rights of free speech, free press, free meeting, and free association (for trade unions and strikes) to the detriment of the autocracy. By the general strike all this might have been gained. It was on the point of being gained when the reforming parties fell out among themselves—Octoberists against Cadets, Social Democrats against Social Revolutionaries—the two latter hating each other on points of abstract doctrine more bitterly than they hated the Tsardom, which stood ready to hang both the reforming parties and the Social Democrats by the necks. So at the present moment, it is evidently again the doctrine of abstract doctrine that is the danger to the Russian Empire. Especially, one may expect danger to arise from the Social Democratic doctrine, always so rigid in his theories, so satisfied with the pure milk of the Marxian word, and so put up with his one fixed idea that no other finds room to penetrate his head. There he always stands as a well-intentioned block in the path of possible advance, the conscious embodiment of narrow rectitude, the type of arid and impracticable unreason, refusing freedom unless it comes all at once and all or as the poet mistakenly believed the Russian Empire came down at Lodovore—H.W. Newson in the Contemporary Review.

"Count, I wish you wouldn't call me Atom."

"My English is imperfect, my friend."

"In my case your accent is unfortunate. My name is Adam."

Not to Blame—I understand the Grabbitz estate is very large."

Lawyer (apologetically). "Yes, it is, but you see, we have had charge of it such a short time."

"Now that, sir, is a very good cigar, one you needn't be afraid to offer anybody."

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The Kaiser's Deity

What Passes in Emperor William's Mind for Religious Thought

It is a ferocious deity that smiles on the Kaiser out of his mirror. The following brief selection from his sayings, well chosen by Mr. Lovat Fraser, illustrates what passes in Emperor William's mind for religious thought:

"I represent Monarchy by the grace of God."

"Only one is Master in the Empire, and I am that one; I will tolerate no other."

"You must not have one will, and that is My will; there is only one law, and that is My law."

"If I order you to shoot down your relatives, brothers—yes, even your parents—you must obey. Me without murmuring." (Speech to Fotsdam recruits)

"The spirit of God has descended upon Me because I am German Emperor. I am the instrument of the Most High. I am His sword. His representative on earth. Vice and death to those who oppose My will. Death to the infidel who denies My mission! Let all the enemies of the German nation perish! God demands their destruction—God, who by My mouth summons you to carry out His decrees." (Proclamation to army, Sept. 13, 1914)

If there is any shadow of blasphemy in these words the Kaiser, we may believe, is unconscious of it. He seems to think of some sort of puppet, perhaps a pocket god somewhat like Laban's god, of which we read that Rachel "put them in the camel's saddle, and sat upon them." At any rate, changing a word or two in an ancient sentence, many thoughtful people will feel bound to say that the Kaiser created a god in his own image, in the image of the Kaiser created him. —From the Boston Herald.

That war tradition about boys' habits being on the increase since the war began to shock the world gains favor by the statistics just issued by the Registrar-General in London, England. The number of births recorded for 1915-16 was 814,614, of whom 415,205 were males and 399,409 females.

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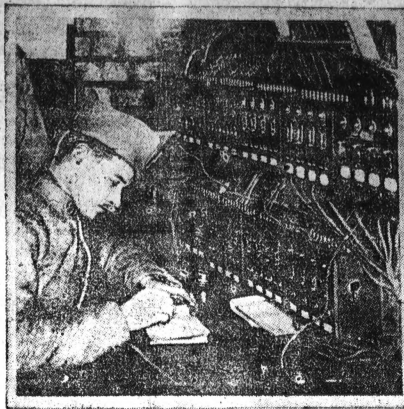
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Kinsella Notes.

The ladies of the Red Cross are holding a picnic on Saturday, June 30th, Red Cross day in Kinsella. Everybody is asked to come out and have a good time and help a good cause.

The ladies serve ice cream and cake every Saturday in the creamery in aid of the Red Cross.

Last Saturday a meeting of the UFA was held which was well attended. The ladies sold ice cream for the Red Cross fund and made good money. It was decided to hold farmers picnic on June 30th and the Kinsella fall Fair on August 10th.

G.T.P. Time Card

East Bound No. 2 due 12:24pm
West Bound " due 5:56 pm
Local freight from East,
Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday.
From West: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

POPULAR WANTS

FOR SALE—Good Grade Short. horn bull, two years old, H. W. Love, Irma. 15-19

STRAYED—On Thursday night, May 31st, 1 dark Sorrel horse, white strip in forehead, wt 95 11 yrs old, branded

on left jaw, on right hip, large cowbell strapped to neck. Reward. Finder, take up animal, and notify A.C. Anderson, c/o C. J. Knudson, Irma. 8

Hay for Sale—About five tons. \$4.00 per ton at stack. F. Rupp, NW. 13-45-10, at H. Kastins. 18

TENDERS WANTED—for breaking twenty acres near Irma, H. W. Love, Irma. 16-19.

STRAYED—from my farm 9 miles northeast of Bruce. Black 3 yr old gelding, heavy black mane on left side of neck. Foretop clipped. Finder please take up animal and notify Jens Morsland, Bruce and receive reward. 7-9p

Irma Market

(Subject to change without notice)

Wheat—	
No. 1 Northern.....	213
No. 2	210
No. 3	205
No. 4	115
Oats—	
No. 2 CW.....	55
No. 1 feed, extra.....	52
Feed.....	45
Barley—	
No. 3.....	100
No. 4.....	98
Rye—	
No. 1.....	150
No. 2.....	145
Flax—	
No. 1 NW.....	250
No. 2 NW.....	247
No. 3 NW.....	240
Potatoes, per bus.....	100
Butter, per lb.....	30
Eggs, per doz.....	25
Flour.....	6.75
Sugar.....	2.25
Beef cows, per lb.....	4 7
Steers, per lb.....	6 7 1
Mutton, per lb.....	8
Hogs, per lb tops.....	12 1
Hay, per ton.....	5.00
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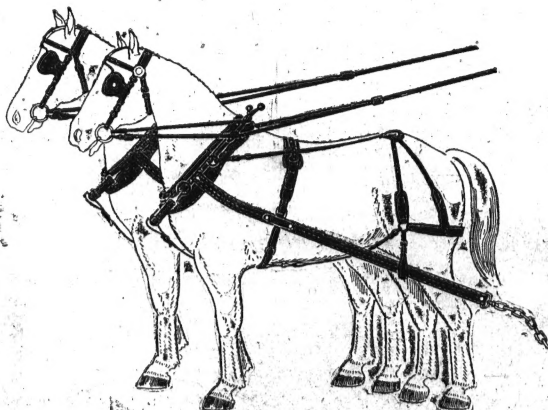


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